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A MUTILATED COW IN BURON GRIFFIN'S PASTURE
OUTSIDE OF HELENA ARKANSAS, AUGUST, 1990.

THIS ISSUE CONTAINS:

CATTLE MUTILATIONS IN ARKANSAS, NATIONAL AND INTERNATIONAL U.F.O. REVIEW (EXPANDED EDITION), THE CHAIRMAN'S CORNER: IS LONG ISLAND IN A U.F.O. FLAP ?, UPDATE ON THE FIREMAN FIELD CASE IN PATCHOGUE, PLUS OTHER FEATURES.

The L.I.U.F.O.N., U.F.O.'s On Long Island Conference III was a complete success. The first day's attendance was off from expectations, but the second day's attendance at least made up for the first day's light turnout. Overall the conference was a financial success for the organization. The total for expenses was some \$2700 with a net profit of \$1300. We were hoping for a minimum of at least a two or three thousand dollar profit with which to help finance our efforts to purchase a new photo copier and a computer system. The shortfall will only mean a delay in the purchase, since we hope to throw another conference next year to help raise funds for this effort. The money raised will help finance our organization for the year. — The Smithtown News ran two major articles in their paper before the Conference on the Network which were sensational and well received. If anyone wants photocopies of them please contact the Network and we will mail you photo copies of the articles. — The Southshore News in Havelitt. ran a full two page story dealing with the James Lefante Case and the Network's investigation into the history of Mr. Lefante's abductions. From all indications it was well received in the Five Towns area of Nassau County. — Barry and Debbie Gellis paid a nice call on our Conference to interview all our guest speakers. It will air on the Brooklyn-Queens Public Access T.V. program U.F.O.'s Today on the second Sunday of December. On December 2nd, 1990 the Gellis' will air on their program the segment dealing with the Moriches Bay Case Report. Those living in Queens don't miss it. — On December 5th, 1990 L.I.U.F.O.N. Chairman John Ford will be speaking before the assembly of Boy Scout Troop 349 at the Branch Brook Elementary School in Hauppauge. The topic will of course be U.F.O.'s (what else). We intend to present our slide show for the Scouts and their families. — We have scheduled another talk at the Riverhead Library. The date will be announced very soon. — Don't forget that on March 20th, 1990 we will be presenting a slide show at the Nesconset Public Library starting at 10:00 a.m. in the morning. — We have an announcement to make; Frank Columbo was recently selected to become our new Director of Investigations. He takes over the post vacated by Bruce Richardson. Good luck Frank. — We have taken on three new investigators in the last three weeks. They are Alan Hausman, Peter Nadir and Grace Columbo. Welcome aboard gang. — L.I.U.F.O.N. has taken in seven new members in November and at least twelve in October. Our membership list is steadily growing. — As of this writing the schedule for our membership meetings next year has not been finalized. As soon as the South Country Library finalizes it, we will let you know.

THE LONG ISLAND SCENE.

The activity continues ***** The Lefante abduction Case continues with reports by Mr. Lefante of at least two more abduction experiences in the past four weeks. ***** L.I.U.F.O.N. continues its investigation of his case. **** Report from Manhattan indicates a large oval object was seen on the night of November 17th at about 10:00 P.M. on a North to South course. The location of the observation was the area of 86th Street between 2nd and 3rd Avenues. The object was self luminous and had a tail on it. The witness who was interviewed by phone stated that the object visibly altered its course. So much for a possible meteorite explanation. The report has been listed tentatively as a unknown. ***** The area of Patchogue brings in a reported sighting of a very small disc shaped object seen above the tree line over some houses near the Washington Avenue area. The date of the reported sighting was November 16th at 11:00 A. M.. The woman who had the sighting reported that the object was about six feet in diameter and was under observation for two minutes. The object was just hovering above the trees and went simply straight up and out of sight. ***** This report has been given a high degree of credibility. ***** Another report comes from the Forge River Estuary in Mastic Beach. The date for this one was November 11th at 12:50 A.M. (really the 12th). Two witnesses identifying themselves under assumed names reported three objects out over Moriches Bay in a "V" formation. The middle object then rose and created a inverted "V" formation with the resulting movement of the three objects into a circular formation for up to ten minutes over the Bay. The witnesses reported that the objects were large and self luminous. They described them more as lights than objects and appeared to be under intelligent control. The next day when L.I.U.F.O.N. attempted to contact the parties we discovered the people who had called us knew nothing of the events. The possibility exists that it may have been a hoax. ***** The activity continues.

THE MEMBERSHIP CORNER.

MEMBERSHIP MEETING:

There will be a membership meeting of the Network at the South Country Library on Friday, November 30th, 1990 at 6:30 P.M. in the Community Meeting Room . The meeting is open to the membership, their guests and the public.

The meeting will feature a video documentary, part of Arthur C. Clarke's "Mysterious World" series, dealing with mysterious creatures. It will explore such legendary creatures such as the Yeti (The Abominable Snowman), Bigfoot, the Loch Ness Monster, Dragons and legendary huge serpents.

It's a departure from the usual U.F.O. Genre for our membership meetings, but it should be quite informative and entertaining. It will also help to open our minds to other mysteries surrounding our world. The film lasts about forty minutes.

The rest of the meeting will deal with a report on current investigations. Hope to see you there.

Remember, there is no smoking in the meeting room.

DUES INCREASE:

Just a reminder. The dues for membership increases to \$25.00 per year as of January 1,1990. This is due to rising costs and the extra financial burden of legal fees associated with our recent court action.

THE JOURNAL:

The Journal is in its final stages of production. It will be definitely out to the membership in December. We are terribly sorry for the four month delay in getting the Journal out, but there have been delays due to a lack of typists and recurring problems with the organization's photocopier. The machine has been recently repaired and now we are able to print 8"x11" copies clear without smudges.

This issue will be a full issue devoted to all the information collected on our investigation into the Moriches Bay Case. It will raise some eyebrows when you see it.

SKYWATCH CONTINUES:

Operation Long Island Skywatch continues. Those of you interested in a first hand opportunity to observe areas of high activity here on the Island may want to join our weekly sighting teams. The teams go out every Saturday night. Please call to inquire about our assignment for that week. This activity is only open for members.

PINE BUSH TRIP:

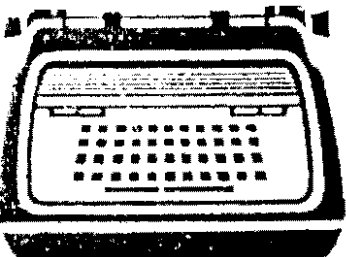
The planned trip this month to Pine Bush has been called off again. This was due to a lack of sufficient phone calls showing interest in making definite arrangements. The organization will announce plans after the Holidays for our next trip.

VIDEO AND AUDIO TAPES:

The Long Island U.F.O. Network has developed a commercial relationship with Back Country Productions to produce video and audio tapes of our recent conference. The order form is on the last page of the newsletter.

Those of you who could not attend the conference or were unable to attend both days, but made one of the sessions; now will have an opportunity to hear what it was all about.

Remember, all funds go to support our continued research.



BY JOHN J. FORD.



IS LONG ISLAND IN A U.F.O. FLAP ??

Since the inception of the Long Island U.F.O. Network on April 22nd, 1988, the organization has received and investigated some four hundred U.F.O. reports or related phenomena from the Long Island, New York Metropolitan area. During this period of time, the overwhelming impression that has been created is that there is something going on here on the Island. Something "BIG".

What has been accumulated in our archives so far indicates that there has been a consistent pattern emerging indicative of a period of high activity in the Metropolitan Area. If one wants to include New York City in the picture along with Nassau and Suffolk Counties, then let's do that. While we are at it let's throw in Upstate New York, specifically the Hudson Valley Area where Phil Imbrogno has reported so much activity throughout the Eighties.

Now, let's throw this hypothesis out and see if you the public reading this article can agree. With the activity in the Eighties originating in the Hudson Valley, (which Imbrogno so thoroughly documented in his book Night Seige), there existed in the Metropolitan Area a similar period of high activity. There were some occasional sightings in the City, but most of the activity on the Island was centered on its Eastern end. Starting from the East end of Nassau County to the Eastern tip of Suffolk County. The activity was very heavy during the Eighties.

Consider my hypothesis, please ladies and gentlemen. Now lets look at some evidence to back up my theory.

During the Eighties Phil Imbrogno reported 5000 sightings of large Boomerang objects in the Hudson Valley. On December 26th 1982, a woman reports a large object above her home in Huntington Station, so large it fills the sky. It was so close she could observe metal plates with rivets on the underside of the craft. The Spring of 1982 over Moriches Bay a large oval object is reported. It is eventually chased by a Air Force C-130. In 1983 and 1984 there are reports of objects seen in Jamaica, Queens and Floral Park, Nassau County. On November 21st, 1985, a large domed disc is reported over Port Washington which buzzes Main Street and sails out to Sand's Point out over the Sound. In 1986, at the intersection of Cheshire and Wading River Road in Center Moriches, a man has his truck's electrical system rendered inoperable by a dark huge object which also knocks out the electric power in the surrounding area. On August 13th, 1986 at the intersection of Phyllis Drive and Sunrise Highway in Patchogue, a large cigar shaped object stops traffic along the road. The size is estimated to be at least a thousand feet long. On December 27th, 1987, a large oval object some three hundred feet across zig zags down Sunrise Highway in Lindenhurst to Bay Shore's South Shore Mall at a very low altitude. The witnesses are able to pace the slow moving object with their car. In October 1987, Richard Stout discovers a mutilated heifer on Woodland Avenue in Manorville, L.I.. In February of 1988 over a hundred mutilated animals are reported along the South Shore of Long in some five towns. On March 12th, 1988 in Mastic Beach on Riviera Drive, a domed disc chases two young boys to one of the children's home and hovers above it for some fifteen minutes before departing. In September 1988, a young woman sees a large amber oval object suddenly rise from the Riviera Avenue Boat Basin in Mastic Beach. On August 15th, 1988, a strange thunder cloud is seen along the East End of Long Island which is reported by witnesses to have discharged disc shaped objects along the way. On September 28th, 1989 over Moriches Bay, it is reported that the U.S. Armed Forces brings down a very large boomerang object in the Bay's shallow waters. During 1988, 1989 and 1990, there are mounting reports of U.F.O. Abductions in the Long Island and New York City areas. In 1990, the activity resumes.

During the period from 1972 to 1979, there was a major nationwide flap (period of high activity) in the United States. From reports in our files, Long Island was no exception to it. During the 1980's, from all appearances there appears to have been another Nationwide Flap. During this time, there was high activity in the North Eastern part of the Country. Long Island was part of it too and is still involved in it.

Is my theory proven ? Do you agree or disagree ?



POLICE OFFICER WILLIAM BOYD OF THE HELENA POLICE DEPT. EXAMINES
THE MUTILATED CARCASS OF A COW FOUND AUGUST 19, 1990; IN THE PASTURE
OF FARMER BURON GRIFFIN, LOCATED IN THE GRIFFIN VALLEY
OUTSIDE OF HELENA, ARKANSAS.

(PHOTO, THE DAILY WORLD, HELENA ARKANSAS)

THE NATIONAL AND INTERNATIONAL U.F.O. REVIEW

HELENA, ARKANSAS: On August 19, 1990 farmer Buron Griffin of Griffen Valley, Arkansas awoke to find one of his registered Brown Swiss Cows horribly mutilated in a pasture on his farm. The cow had various body parts removed in precise cuts. Some of the body parts removed were its right ear, part of her udder, anus and genital organs. The cow one of five prized Swiss Browns owned by Mr. Griffin had been discovered while Mr. Griffin was grazing other cows of his herd. He was in the pasture, when he noticed that the cow was on the ground. Approaching the carcass, he noticed the cow was dead and had parts of its body cut off.

Helena police Chief William Boyd, Sgt. Larry Summerhill with the Helena Criminal Investigation Division and Philips County Deputy Sheriff Ronnie White made the first official investigation. They were at a lost for an explanation, pending post mortem examination reports. Police Chief Boyd did speculate that the death occurred sometime the night before.

Mr. Griffin informed the press that over the last three months he had had three of his Brown Swiss Cows disappear without a trace from his field. This is the first time one of the Cows had been left behind mutilated.

The Police have not ruled out the possibility that a Satanic Cult or other ritualistic animal sacrifice practices might be involved.

(THE DAILY WORLD, HELENA, ARKANSAS; 8/20/90)

TAHLEQUAH, OKLAHOMA: Undersheriff Dan Garber of Adair County reported that a mother and daughter living on a farm in Cherokee County reported in early August a large hairy creature behind their farm house. The unidentified witnesses reported hearing a loud scream from the creature and smelling a horrible odor while spotting it near a trash heap behind the home. The family dog chased the creature back into the woods only to return moments later with its tail between its legs.

Deputy Joe Weavel reported from his initial investigation that the creature had left behind a large set of footprints that dwarfed a man's foot. The witnesses stated to the Sheriff's office that they observed the creature near the trash heap walking on two legs. The size was ten feet tall and estimated by the witnesses to be over four hundred pounds. The Sheriff's Office believes this sighting to be a case of misidentification of a bear, since the witnesses stated that they saw the creature to have frizzled hair. State Wildlife experts agree. The one discrepancy from this theory is that this sighting and several others reported in a few days after, indicate the creature to walk on two legs. This has led to talk of "Big Foot" being seen again in Oklahoma.

(THE POST, HOUSTON, TEXAS, 8/19/90). J. I. U. S. O. N.



*** FARMER KEITH RYAN IN HIS WHEAT FIELD, INSIDE THE CIRCLE. ***

MANITOBA, CANADA: Outside Manitoba in August of this year, Farmer Keith Ryan reported finding a flattened circle of wheat in his wheat field. The local authorities as of this date are unable to explain the phenomenon which closely resembles the English wheat and corn circles which have been reported over the last several years. According to reports, the wheat in Mr. Ryan's wheat field circle was not broken, but gently bent over while continuing to grow. The local RCMP Inspector called to investigate the report believes it to have been caused by unusual wind turbulence in the area. Mr. Ryan and his family reported no unusual disturbances or phenomena the night before the circle was discovered. No satisfactory explanation has surfaced to explain the origin of the circle in Mr. Ryan's wheat field.

WASHINGTON, D.C. (ASSOCIATED PRESS): Several large quiet, triangular wing shaped aircraft of unknown origin have been spotted in the air near Air Force Bases in California and elsewhere in the West reports Aviation Week and Space Technology. A different aircraft whose engines produce a loud roar that resembles heavy rocket engines also has been spotted, the magazine reported.

The Air Force declined to confirm or deny that the sightings were of new warplanes. The publication's edition in which the story was released stated that the triangular aircraft are possibly prototypes of the Air Force B-2 or Navy A-12 aircraft.

The A-12 is a new fighter under development which has not been displayed. The B-2 is the "Stealth Bomber", which has been displayed and its shape is well known.

Aviation Week published what appeared to be pictures of the A-12 without explaining whether they were actual aircraft in flight, artist's conceptions, models, or something else.

The magazine said the triangular craft did not resemble the production B-2 with its distinctive sawtooth wing trailing edge. It quoted "well qualified observers" as reporting that the aircraft are fairly flat and triangular shaped with a "rounded nose, rounded wingtips and probably no vertical tail surfaces." The observers were not otherwise identified.

One observer in Nevada was quoted as saying the shape of the aircraft was "like a manta ray." The magazine said there have been at least 11 sightings of the triangular aircraft near Edwards Air Force Base in California and one near Fresno, California. It said there have been other sightings of similar aircraft in Central Nevada near ranges operated by the Air Force and the Energy Department.

It described at least 14 sightings of a loud craft called the pulser from the loud pulsating nature of the sound of its engines which vary up and down in intensity once or twice a second, plus other reports of the sound often at night. It said that the typically pulser aircraft are seen flying a southwest to northwest track near Edwards Air Force Base and the China Lake Naval Weapons Center. The routing would suggest the aircraft are returning from test ranges or work areas off the Western Coast of the U.S. where airline pilots have reported seeing very high speed vehicles at altitudes above 50,000 feet.

A companion article said research aircraft flying from Nevada sites include both manned and unmanned hypersonic-capable aircraft designed to perform strategic reconnaissance and other, less conventionally defined missions. Some aircraft were said to have exotic propulsion and aerodynamic schemes not fully understood at this time.

Col Joseph Purka, an Air Force public affairs officer, said he could say nothing.

SPECIAL BULLETIN !!!

We have received information from a couple who live in the Kings Park area of Long Island concerning the Moriches Bay Case. It seems that day, September 28th, 1989, when the incident occurred the wife observed from her backyard window two large triangular craft in the sky to the North West in formation. The objects were a dark grey texture and were separated by a mile distance from each other. One of the objects travelled in a instant to form up with the other in the sky. The maneuver was impossible for any type of known aircraft to have performed.

The significance of the sighting is very important to our investigation of the Moriches Bay Case. It occurred at 5:00 P.M. in the late afternoon on a clear day. The witnesses are positive it was the date of the Moriches Bay Case. If this is so, then it throws new light on the investigation.

For a long time now, it has been known to L.I.U.F.O.N. that there were two objects involved in the incident. The second object was suspected to be the Secret Version of the Stealth Bomber that is known to exist.

With this information, it means that both objects were alien and that the hypothesis that was developed was inaccurate. This hypothesis was based on the computer analysis and information that Bob Oeschiller had done for us.

Bob Oeschiller had informed us that the lights of the Moriches Bay Craft resembled the lighting pattern of the Secret Stealth Bomber. It is known that the Moriches Bay object crashed. The second object did not, because it was in the Quoque-West Hampton Areas. Witnesses have identified the Moriches Bay pictures as resembling the object seen in the Quoque area. The scientist told us he knew for a fact that the object had been chased through Connecticut by a Stealth Aircraft (this is the scientist who was involved in the incident and who also was involved in bringing it down).

It was natural to draw the conclusion that it was the Secret Stealth Bomber, since it is known to resemble the Alien Boomerangs. It appears our assumption was wrong.

With both objects seen along the North Shore of Long Island earlier in the day before their flight into Connecticut, it would bolster the assumption that they were both alien. It would also mean that the Air Sea Rescue operation in the West Hampton Area may have been a diversion and also meant to keep both objects separated from each other. It would explain a lot concerning this case.

On September 4th, 1989 in Gardner State Park we have a father and son who were jogging around 12:00 P.M. that day. They claim to have seen a very dark colored boomerang object on a South Easterly course, silently and slowly moving overhead. This is twenty four days before the Moriches Bay Incident.

UPCOMING MEMBERSHIP MEETING !!!

The December meeting of the Long Island U.F.O. Network will be held at the South Country Library in Bellport Village at 6:30 P.M. on December 21st, 1990. The meeting will feature a video presentation concerning the Great Siberian Explosion in 1908 in Tunguska. An area the size of New York and London was flattened by an explosion heard round the world. Was it a meteor, a comet or a nuclear powered U.F.O. ???

THE FIREMAN'S FIELD CASE.

CASE NUMBERS: 108-90 & 109-90

DATE: SEPTEMBER 21, 1990

LOCATION: FIREMAN'S FIELD, PATCHOGUE VILLAGE, N.Y.

SUBJECT: FOUR YOUNG BOYS AGES 8 TO 13.

OBJECTS: THREE, ONE A DOMED DISC, SECOND A DIAMOND SHAPE, THIRD RED LIGHT.

SCENARIO: CE III. POSSIBLE ABDUCTION.



PHOTOGRAPH OF THE LOCATION OF THE INCIDENT.

THE FIELD IS ADJACENT TO THE CLUB HOUSE.

THIS FIELD IS NOT ILLUMINATED EXCEPT FOR STREET
LIGHTS ON THE ADJOINING STREET.

(PHOTOS L.I.U.F.O.N. ARCHIVES)



THE AREA FROM WHICH THE OBJECTS CAME IN OVER THE FIELD.

THIS IS THE SOUTH WEST CORNER OF THE FIELD,

BEHIND THE TREE LINE IS THE SHORELINE OF PATCHOGUE BAY.

RADIOLOGICAL SURVEY OF THE FIELD INDICATED NO RADIATION IN THE AREA.



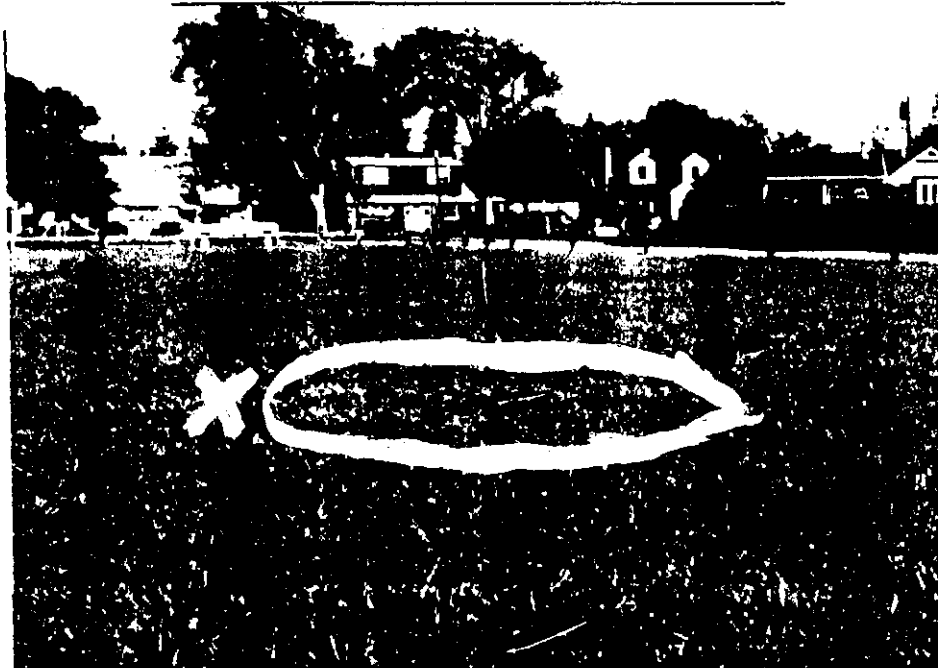
ONE OF TWO CIRCULAR DEPRESSIONS IN THE FIELD.

BOTH DEPRESSIONS WERE SOME THIRTY TWO FEET APART.

THERE WERE NO UNUSUAL RADIATION OR MAGNETIC DEVIATIONS RECORDED IN AREA.

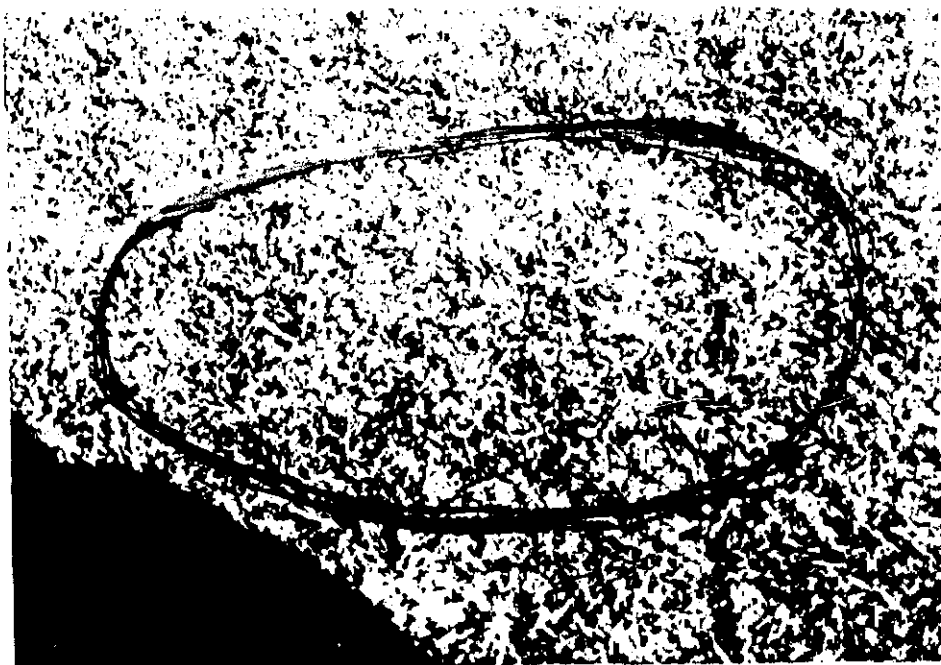
THE GRASS IN THE CIRCLE WAS DEAD AND IN A SWIRLED CONFIGURATION.

WHITE CIRCLE INDICATES THE DEPRESSION.



AREA OF DEAD GRASS AND WEEDS IN THE FIELD. THE "X" MARKS LOCATION OF ONE OF THE DEPRESSIONS. WE HAVE DETERMINED THAT THE DEAD GRASS WAS INDICATIVE OF CHICK WEED, WHICH USUALLY DIES EARLY IN THE FALL.

L.I.U.F.O.N. IS CERTAIN THAT THE DEAD VEGETATION WAS NOT CAUSED BY A U.F.O..



THE CIRCLED AREA INDICATES THE AREA OF THE DEAD GRASS IN THE FIELD.

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